



PAGE 1 OF 1

Form PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Commerce  
(Rev. 7-80) Patent and Trademark Office

ATTY. DOCKET NO.  
33249M013

SERIAL NO.  
09/806,167

### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

(Use several sheets if necessary)

#### APPLICANT

Takeo INOUE

#### FILING DATE

March 28, 2001

#### GROUP

### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE APPROPRIAT
	AA						
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						

RECEIVED

JUL 11 2001

Technology Center 2600

### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATIO
							YES
							NO
	AN						
	AO						
	AP						

### OTHER INFORMATION (including author, title, date, pertinent pages, etc.)

<i>MW</i>	AQ	PCT Notification of Transmittal of Copies of Translation of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IB/338)
<i>MW</i>	AR	PCT International Preliminary Examination Report (Form PCT/IPEA/409)
	AS	
	AT	
	AU	

EXAMINER *M. Mychal* DATE CONSIDERED  
*9/28/01*

\* Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered, include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.